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January 12, 2018

Announcements

Annual Conclave Awards

It was a pleasure to join many of you on Monday evening to celebrate the recent accomplishments of our Cancer Center and Hospital, as well as the individual achievements of our researchers and clinicians. 2017 was an unprecedented year of successes for our Center. We cared for 9,500 new cancer patients and completed over 225,000 office visits. In fact, a Smilow physician cares for 45% of every newly diagnosed patient with cancer in Connecticut. At the same time, patient satisfaction at Smilow ranks among the highest over the last year compared to our peer institutions. And in 2017, we had \$125 million in cancer funding to support our research endeavors. In the war against cancer, I can't imagine a Center that is better poised to make a bigger impact in the coming years in cancer research and care and I am excited to work together with you to continue our mission.

Individual awards were presented to recognize outstanding achievement in research and clinical care during 2017. Please join me in congratulating the following:

Ruth McCorkle, PhD, RN, FAAN was presented with the **Yale Cancer Center Lifetime Achievement Award**, an award given annually to a Yale Cancer Center member who has impacted the field of oncology both nationally and internationally. Cathy Lyons presented the award to Ruth, affectionately calling her the "Godmother of Oncology Nursing." Ruth joined Yale Cancer Center and Yale School of Nursing in 1998 and focused her career on psychosocial oncology and quality of life research. She has been continually funded by the NIH for over 40 years and is the author of innumerable publications in her

from the desk of
Charles S. Fuchs, MD, MPH
Director, Yale Cancer Center
and Physician-in-Chief
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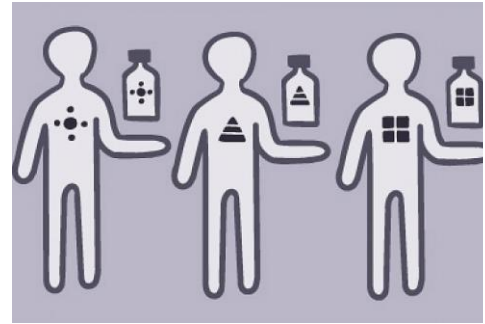
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field. "Above all, she is a nurse in the noblest sense of the word, and as a nurse she continually mentors the next generation," Cathy said.



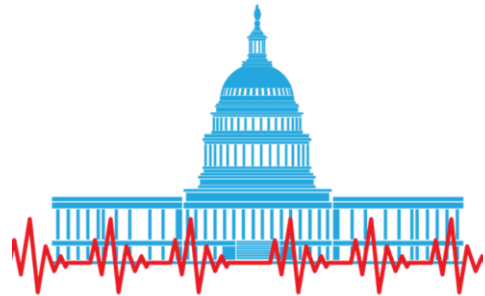
Cathy Lyons, Ruth McCorkle, Charlie Fuchs

The Yale Cancer Center award for **Excellence in Clinical Care** was presented to **Scott Gettinger, MD**. Dr. Rogerio Lilenbaum introduced the award and described clinicians with true clinical excellence as showing empathy, compassion, unwavering commitment, and a connection with their patients. Lindsay Marottoli Greenberg and Kristen Marottoli Peck presented Dr. Gettinger with the award on behalf of the Marottoli Family. They first met Dr. Gettinger 10 years ago when their sister, Melissa, was diagnosed with stage 4 lung cancer at the age of 26. They described their sister's story and their journey to find her the best care and every option available, and shared their appreciation for Dr. Gettinger when Melissa passed away 5 years ago. "He helped us to feel admiration and pride and find peace knowing we had done everything we could have done for our sister. Scott, we are so proud of you, so thankful, and so honored to be presenting you with this award."



Cancer Care Gets Personal How Tumor Treatments Are Changing

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Solomon Center, Yale Cancer Center, and Smilow Cancer Hospital to Host Conference on Policy, Politics and Law of Cancer

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New cancer treatments have perplexing side effects

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Rogério Lilienbaum, Charlie Fuchs, Scott Gettinger, Kristen Marottoli Peck, Lindsay Marottoli Greenberg

Emily Duffield, APRN and **Vanna Dest, APRN** received the **Ruth McCorkle Advanced Practice Provider Awards** presented by Cathy Lyons and Ruth McCorkle. Emily was recognized for her superb clinical skills and mentorship. "With her clinical research background, combined with her exceptional clinical skills, she intervenes early in the care of clinical trial patients to expertly manage their symptoms," Ruth said. Vanna was highlighted as a finalist for the Schwartz Center Compassionate Caregiver Award and recognized for the extraordinary contributions she has made and will continue to make to the APP program at Smilow. "Vanna teaches and role models compassion."



Ruth McCorkle and Vanna Dest. Emily Duffield and Cathy Lyons.



The Double-Edged Sword of New Cancer Drugs

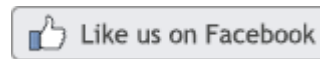
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The quest to extend the reach of checkpoint inhibitors in lung cancer

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Looking for easy, delicious meals that'll last for the whole week? Check out our videos for Mason Jar Salad recipes for quick-prep meals that are packed with nutrition.

Watch the videos for fun variations!

Patrick Sung, DPhil received the **Yale Cancer Center Basic Science Research Prize** for his paper, *Integrated, Step-Wise, MassIsotopomeric Flux Analysis of the TCA Cycle, published in Cell Metabolism BRCA1-BARD1 promotes RAD51-mediated homologous DNA pairing*. Dr. Sung is a Professor of Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry and of Therapeutic Radiology and a member of the Radiobiology and Radiotherapy Research Program. Joann Sweasy presented the award.

Katerina Politi, PhD and **Scott Gettinger, MD** received the **Yale Cancer Center Clinical Science Research Prize** for their paper, *Impaired HLA Class I Antigen Processing and Presentation as a Mechanism of Acquired Resistance to Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors in Lung Cancer*. Dr. Politi is an Associate Professor of Pathology and a member of the Signal Transduction Research Program and Dr. Gettinger is an Associate Professor of Medicine (Medical Oncology) and a member of the Developmental Therapeutics Research Program. Harriet Kluger presented the award.

Ranjit Bindra, MD, PhD received the **Yale Cancer Center Translational Science Research Prize** for his paper, *2-Hydroxyglutarate produced by neomorphic IDH mutations suppresses homologous recombination and induces PARP inhibitor sensitivity*. Dr. Bindra is an Associate Professor of Therapeutic Radiology and a member of the Radiobiology and Radiotherapy Research Program. Roy Herbst presented the award.

James B. Yu, MD, MHS received the **Yale Cancer Center Cancer Prevention and Control Research Prize** for his paper, *Use of Alternative Medicine for Cancer and Its Impact on Survival*. Dr. Yu is an Associate Professor of Therapeutic Radiology and a member of the Radiobiology and Radiotherapy Research Program. Xiaomei Ma presented the award.

Joseph Contessa, MD, PhD and **Valentina Greco, PhD** were also recognized for receiving the **Class of '61 Cancer Research Awards** for 2016 and 2017 respectively.

Pancreatic Cancer CME Symposium

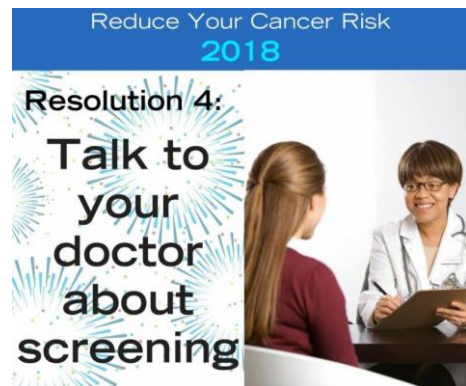


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As the new year begins, there are important steps you can take to reduce your cancer risk for 2018 and beyond.

Resolution 4: Talk to your doctor about cancer screening.

Read about Smilow's cancer screening program.



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Resolution 3: Avoid using tobacco.

Check out the Tobacco Treatment Program at Smilow to help patients quit smoking.

Please join us on Friday, February 2 for a CME Symposium on the Multidisciplinary Management of Pancreatic Cancer at Yale's West Campus.

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Notables

The **Lion Heart** grant committee has awarded three \$50,000 grants to support seed funding for breast cancer research to be done in 2018. Congratulations to the following recipients:

Exploiting HR Defects in Breast Cancer with DNA-PK Inhibitor- Based Therapies: **Ranjit Bindra, MD, PhD**

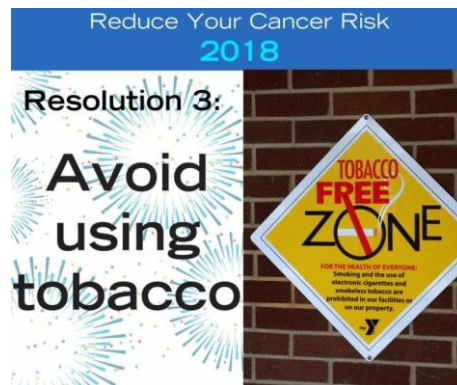
Nutritional Status as Assessed by Skin Carotenoids and Chemotherapy Related Side Effects: **Leah Ferrucci, PhD, MPH**

Imaging and Targeted Therapy of EGFR-cMET in Triple Negative Breast Cancer: **Bernadette Marquez-Nostra, PhD**

Erin Hofstatter, MD, Associate Professor of Medicine (Medical Oncology) has been elected as the **Faculty Advisory Council** representative at Yale School of Medicine for a two-year term for the sections of medical oncology, hematology, and neuro-oncology. Thank you to Terri Parker, MD who just completed her term as our representative.

Amer Zeidan, MBBS, Assistant Professor of Medicine (Hematology) has been selected as the lead developer and speaker for the myelodysplastic syndromes (MDS) section in the official **Highlights of ASH** meetings in San Francisco (Jan 12, 2018), Miami (Jan 19, 2018), and NYC (Jan 26, 2018).

Employee Profile: Claudia Millan



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Resolution 2: Exercise regularly.

Listen to Dr. Melinda Irwin discuss the link between physical fitness and cancer.



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As the new year begins, there are important steps you can take to reduce your cancer risk for 2018 and beyond.

Resolution 1: Eat a healthy diet.

Check out our nutrition page for original

Claudia Millan, RN, BSN, never thought she would be an oncology nurse. She watched her mother beat cancer, but lost her aunt to colon cancer and her father to lung cancer. She never thought she would ever be on the other side of the table.



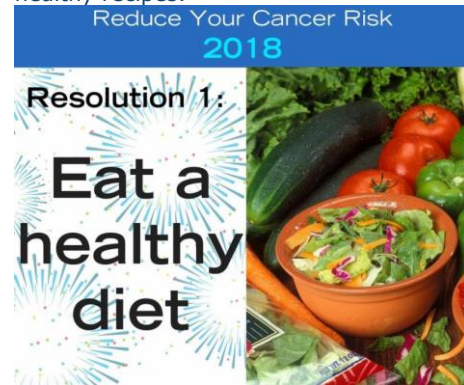
However, she enrolled in nursing school and worked on the Women's Oncology floor at Smilow Cancer Hospital as a student nurse, and again after she graduated, as a registered nurse. In October 2014, Claudia became an outpatient nurse and two and a half years later, an Assistant Patient Services Manager. Now, Claudia oversees patient care at the Smilow Cancer Hospital Care Centers in Fairfield and Trumbull.

Through her daily routine of rounds, listening to patient issues and suggestions, and ensuring there is enough staff, she is able to still engage in some direct patient care by helping take care of IVs and infusions on occasion. At times, Claudia is the only direct resource in the center, so it is important to her to have the opportunity to maintain a level of patient-facing care. But while she may not work with patients for the entirety of her day, she realizes she can still impact their care.

"Knowing that I make a difference in the lives of the patients - but in a different way, it keeps me going," she explains. "I lead a group who is outstanding in everything they do - the nurses and PCAs, and our supporting teams: the MDs, APRNs, the lab, and PFA's. We are a close group and every little thing we do is huge to the patient. Everything we do is a little piece of the puzzle that forms a big picture at the end of the day."

Claudia has also spearheaded fundraising for the Closer to Free Ride as another way to give back to her patients. "This (2017) was our third year participating, and we were able to fundraise money that will benefit our patients

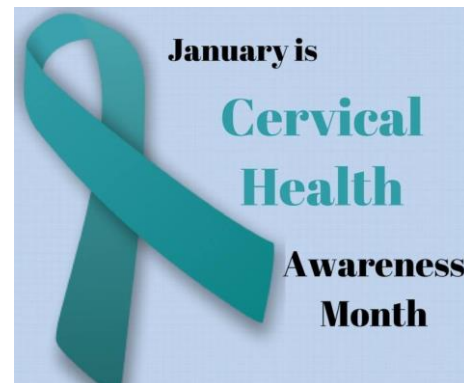
healthy recipes.



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January is Cervical Health Awareness Month. Almost 13,000 women are diagnosed with cervical cancer each year in the United States. Today, we have many powerful prevention and screening tools, such as HPV vaccination and the Pap smear, and greater awareness of these options can help women take steps to prevent cervical cancer-and potentially save their lives.

Learn more about screening and prevention of cervical cancer.



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directly, making me and the team very grateful of what we can do."

Throughout her nursing career, Claudia has always put patients first, and last fall, she was honored with The DAISY Award® For Extraordinary Nurses. The DAISY Award recognizes nurses who were nominated for an extraordinary act of compassion or a relationship they created with a patient that made a difference. Read Claudia's [spotlight](#).

Congratulations, Claudia, and thank you for your compassionate care and dedication to your patients.

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#OOTB: Candra Short

YCC #OUTOFTHEBLUETHANKS recently recognized Candra Short, a Medical Assistant at Smilow Cancer Hospital. Candra heroically sprang into action when one of her colleagues was having a heart attack. Using her medical skills, Candra was able to assess the situation, take the necessary vitals, and escort her coworker to the ER. Thank you, Candra, for your life-saving efforts!

Yale Cancer Center's #OUTOFTHEBLUETHANKS program is a staff recognition initiative to show appreciation to employees who have exemplified an above-and-beyond effort or an outstanding contribution to the team. All nominations should be submitted to the Director's Office c/o [Anna Raso](#).

Funding Opportunities

2018 Translational Research Grant

🐦 In the latest issue @TheLancetOncol the Precision Medicine Tumor Board at Yale Cancer Center was highlighted. The perspective includes researchers Dr. Sarah Goldberg, @DrRoyHerbstYale and @DanielPetrylak.

🐦 Antibodies May Play a Role in EGFR Inhibitor Resistant Patients @DrRoyHerbstYale @YaleCancer #EGFhttp://www.oncologytube.com

🐦 Congratulations to Dr. Ruth McCorkle @YaleNursing@YaleCancer who received the lifetime achievement award at tonight's cancer center annual conclave. A pioneer in oncology nursing, clinical care and symptom management! @YNHH@Yale

🐦 Read new research just published by YCC scientists Madhav Dhodapkar and Kavita Dhodapkar in the Journal of Clinical Investigation. "Early B-cell changes predict autoimmunity following combination immune-checkpoint blockade"

🐦 Our article on the cost-effectiveness of adjuvant brachytherapy in high-intermediate risk endometrial cancer <http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/#gynccsm> #RadOnc@jmstah1@trevor_bledsoe @jamesbyu@UVMcancercenter @YaleCancer@OncologyAdvance

🐦 Learn about genomic sequencing of #tumors for #cancer treatment on .@wnpr at 7:30 with Smilow Cancer Hospital's Dr. Janina Longtine.

🐦 TMRW (1/7) at 7:30p ET Steven Gore of @YaleCancer to discuss tumor genetic sequencing & personalized medicine in #cancer w/ Dr. Longtine <http://bit.ly/2Cx3ySv> on @WNPR

🐦 The great thing about being @YaleCancer@YaleMed attending (or resident or medical student) is that this can be your paper writing office (Med school library)

Supports independent investigators conducting high priority pancreatic cancer research that is poised for important translational next steps with a \$500,000 grant over two years. Proposed research should aim to identify novel targets and approaches to the treatment of pancreatic cancer or understand and circumvent treatment resistance.

Application Deadline: January 15, 2018

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Minority Patient-Derived Xenograft (PDX) Development and Trial Centers (M-PDTCs) (U54)

The main goals for this initiative include: a) Development of racially/ethnically diverse PDX models; b) Development of methods for preclinical testing of single agents and drug combinations; and c) Conducting response studies of PDX models, primarily from racially/ethnically diverse populations, to develop novel therapeutic strategies.

Application Deadline: January 18, 2018

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Feasibility and Planning Studies for Development of Specialized Programs of Research Excellence (SPOREs) to Investigate Cancer Health Disparities (P20)

The goals for this FOA include the development of translational research programs focused upon investigating cancer health disparities.

Application Deadline: January 18, 2018

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Feasibility Studies to Build Collaborative Partnerships in Cancer Research (P20)

Through this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), the National Cancer Institute (NCI) invites P20 planning grant applications for developing collaborative partnership between institutions serving underserved health disparity populations and underrepresented students (ISUPS) and NCI- designated Cancer Centers.

Application Deadline:

January 29, 2018

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A Breath of Hope Lung Foundation

A Breath of Hope Lung Foundation is proud to announce the \$150,000 Tona Vives Research Award. A Breath of Hope Lung Foundation (ABOHLF) is a young, growing

@ymedlib - you can almost hear your predecessors whispering advice and wisdom!

🐦 As the new year begins, there are important steps you can take to reduce your #cancer risk for 2018 and beyond. Resolution 3: Avoid using #tobacco Contact the Tobacco Treatment Program at Smilow Cancer Hospital for help to quit smoking: <http://bit.ly/1akN95t>

🐦 All Smilow Cancer Hospital clinics and infusion centers will be closed Thursday, January 4. Our Smilow Cancer Hospital Care Centers and Smilow/YNHH Radiation Oncology Centers will also be closed. We are contacting all patients with an appointment to reschedule. 1-855-4-SMILOW

🐦 As the new year begins, there are important steps you can take to reduce your #cancer risk. Resolution 2: Exercise regularly. Listen to Melinda Irwin discuss the link between physical fitness & cancer: <http://bit.ly/2ID9y4K> #resolutions

🐦 Register for our 2018 Pancreas Cancer Symposium on February 2. Free and open to all providers, caregivers, patients and families. #PancreaticCancer

🐦 As the new year begins, there are important steps you can take to reduce your #cancer risk. Resolution 1: Eat a healthy diet Check out our nutrition page for healthy recipes: <http://bit.ly/2C4rGeZ> & learn more about cancer prevention: <http://bit.ly/2CCASsc/>

🐦 Tune in to .@wnpr tonight at 7:30 to learn how you can support patients with #cancer through the holiday season and beyond by donating blood .@RedCross

nonprofit that intends to support creative researchers as they pursue bold research that could result in prolonged or saved lives and large contributions to science. Focused on the topic of understanding lung cancer in women, A Breath of Hope Lung Foundation is now accepting applications.

To confirm your eligibility to apply for this funding and receive the online application, please complete the [online form](#).

Application Deadline: February 1, 2018

Utilizing the PLCO Biospecimens Resource to Bridge Gaps in Cancer Etiology and Early Detection Research (U01)

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) encourages the submission of applications that propose to advance research in cancer etiology and early detection biomarkers, utilizing the advantages of the unique biorepository resources of the NCI-sponsored Prostate, Lung, Colorectal, and Ovarian Cancer (PLCO) Screening Trial.

Application Receipt/Submission Date(s):

February 15, 2018; August 15, 2018, by 5:00 PM local time of applicant organization.

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Pancreatic Cancer Action Network - The Pancreatic Cancer Detection Consortium (U01)

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) invites applications from multi-disciplinary teams of researchers and clinicians to establish the Pancreatic Cancer Detection Consortium (PCDC) to conduct research to improve the detection of early stage pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma (PDAC) and characterization of its precursor lesions.

Application Deadline: April 6, 2018


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Yale and the Liberia Ministry of Health and Liberia College of Physicians and Surgeons Opportunity


Yale and the Liberia Ministry of Health and Liberia College of Physicians and Surgeons are seeking INTERNAL MEDICINE AND ITS SUBSPECIALTIES (cardiology, gastroenterology, pulmonary, heme/onc, ID) and lab medicine to serve in Liberia.


Interested applicants are encouraged to submit a copy of their CV to asghar.rastegar@yale.edu along with a one-

 Heartwarming wedding wish for patient at Smilow Cancer Hospital/Yale Cancer Center at Saint Francis.
<https://www.facebook.com/necntv/posts/10155250991319016> ...

 A new study by YCC researchers including lead author Benjamin Kann, MD in @JNCCN finds racial, socioeconomic barriers to accessing life-saving treatment for metastatic cancer.

 Join us on @wnpr tonight at 7:30 for a discussion on #nutrition to help you through the holiday season.

 Need nutritional help during the holidays? Listen to YCC clinical dietitians Amy Bragagnini, RD, and Heidi Larson, RD, on Yale Cancer Answers on WNPR radio 90.5 Sunday night at 7:30 PM until 8:00 PM.

 Our patient Robert Carlson shares his success w checkpoint inhibitor therapy for #lungcancer while physicians express concern over choosing the correct treatments for their patients, many of whom do not respond .@DrRoyHerbstYale comments in .@nature

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Calendar of Events

January 12; 12:00PM

Endocrine Grand Rounds

page cover letter. Currently accepting applications for the 2017-2018 academic year (July 2017-June 2018).

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SPORE in Lung Cancer Program Awards: Career Development Program

The Career Development Program will provide support of up to \$50,000 to promising junior investigators and/or establish investigators who have not previously conducted lung cancer focused research.

Application Due Date:

Letters of intent (LOI) are due no later than 5:00 PM, April 27, 2018

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SPORE in Lung Cancer Program Awards: Developmental Research Program

To provide seed money to investigators to support studies with a strong translational component that have the potential to evolve into, or be incorporated into, a full Yale SPORE in Lung Cancer project.

Application Deadline:

Letters of intent (LOI) are due no later than 5:00 PM, April 27, 2018

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Recent Publications

Yale Cancer Center Precision Medicine Tumor Board: two patients, one targeted therapy, different outcomes.

Cecchini M, Walther Z, Sklar JL, Bindra RS, Petrylak DP, Eder JP, Goldberg SB.

Lancet Oncol. 2018 Jan;19(1):23-24.

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Provider Perspectives on Use of Medical Marijuana in Children With Cancer.

Ananth P, Ma C, Al-Sayegh H, Kroon L, Klein V, Wharton C, Hallez E, Braun I, Michelson K, Rosenberg AR, London W, Wolfe J.

Pediatrics. 2018 Jan;141(1). pii: e20170559.

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Boyer Center for Molecular Medicine
Room 206

Overview of Analgesic Efficacy and Safety of Tanezumab, a Monoclonal Antibody Targeting

Mark Brown, MD

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Yale Cancer Answers

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Men's Health

Stanton Honig, MD

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January 16; 12:00PM

Yale Cancer Center Grand Rounds

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Determinant of Sensitivity and Resistance to Immune Checkpoint Blockers in NSCLC; Mechanisms of Acquired Resistance to Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors in Lung Cancer

Kurt Schalper, MD, PhD and Katerina Politi, PhD

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January 16; 4:00PM

Human and Translational Immunology Seminars

TAC N-203

Immunological functions of human microvasculature

Jordan S. Pober, MD, PhD

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January 18; 12:30PM

Pathology Grand Rounds

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Proteoglycan Control of Endothelial Cell Autophagy

Renato V. Iozzo, MD, PhD

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January 18; 2:30PM

Smilow Cancer Genetics and Prevention Program Seminar

330 Orchard Street, Suites 107-109

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Early B cell changes predict autoimmunity following combination immune checkpoint blockade.

Das R, Bar N, Ferreira M, Newman AM, Zhang L, Bailur JK, Bacchiocchi A, Kluger H, Wei W, Halaban R, Sznol M, Dhodapkar MV, Dhodapkar KM.

J Clin Invest. 2018 Jan 8.

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A patient with oxaliplatin immune-induced syndrome (OIS) who also developed leucovorin and palonosetron-associated thrombocytopenia.

Curtis SA, Curtis BR, Lee AI, Hendrickson JE, Lacy J, Podoltsev NA.

Hematology. 2017 Dec 28:1-4.

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The Role of Ultrasound in Breast Cancer Screening: The Case for and Against Ultrasound.

Geisel J, Raghu M, Hooley R.

Semin Ultrasound CT MR. 2018 Feb;39(1):25-34.

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Patients' and Oncologists' Views on Family Involvement in Goals of Care Conversations.

Lin JJ, Smith CB, Feder S, Bickell NA, Schulman-Green D.

Psychooncology. 2018 Jan 5.

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Keeping Tumors Out of the MAPK Fitness Zone.

Stern DF.

Cancer Discov. 2018 Jan;8(1):20-23.

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Electronic cigarettes for adults with tobacco dependence enrolled in a tobacco treatment program: A pilot study.

Baldassarri SR, Bernstein SL, Chupp GL, Slade MD, Fucito LM, Toll BA.

Addict Behav. 2017 Nov 28;80:1-5.

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Psychometric evaluation of the Patient-Reported Outcomes Measurement Information System

January 21; 7:30PM

Yale Cancer Answers

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New Developments in Pancreatic Cancer Research

Mandar D. Muzumdar, MD

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January 22; 11:00AM

Radiobiology and Radiotherapy Research Program

SHM I-304

Therapeutic Targeting of PPM1D Mutations in DIPGs

Nathan Fons

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January 23; 12:00PM

Yale Cancer Center Grand Rounds

Park Street Auditorium

HIV in Advanced Age: Uncharted Territory; The Congenital Heart Disease Gene, Rargef5, Identifies a New Target for Cancer Treatment - β -catenin Nuclear Translocation

Amy C. Justice, MD, PhD

Mustafa Khokha, MD

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January 24; 12:00PM

YJBM Colloquium Series

BCMM 206/208

Gene editing by PNA nanoparticles: Another horse in the race?

Peter M. Glazier, MD, PhD

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January 24; 12:00PM

Grand Rounds for the Non-Clinician

Park Street Auditorium

Chemotherapy 101

Randa Adib Chaar, PharmD; Vanna Dest, APRN

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January 25; 12:30PM

Pathology Grand Rounds

LPM 1094

Topic TBD

Cory Abate-Shen, PhD

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(PROMIS) Nicotine Dependence Item Bank for use with electronic cigarettes.

Morean M, Krishnan-Sarin S, Sussman S, Foulds J, Fishbein H, Grana R, O'Malley SS.

Nicotine Tob Res. 2018 Jan 2.

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Post-operative radiotherapy is associated with improved survival in esophageal cancer with positive surgical margins.

Gao SJ, Park HS, Corso CD, Rutter CE, Khan SA, Johung KL.

J Gastrointest Oncol. 2017 Dec;8(6):953-961.

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Variants of acinar adenocarcinoma of the prostate mimicking benign conditions.

Humphrey PA.

Mod Pathol. 2018 Jan;31(S1):S64-70.

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Salvage Surgery after Radiation Failure in T1/T2 Larynx Cancer: Outcomes following Total versus Conservation Surgery.

Cheraghlou S, Kuo P, Mehra S, Yarbrough WG, Judson BL.

Otolaryngol Head Neck Surg. 2017 Dec 1:194599817742596.

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Cross-sectional assessment of ultraviolet radiation-related behaviors among young people after a diagnosis of melanoma or basal cell carcinoma.

Ferrucci LM, Cartmel B, Clare RA, Choy CC, Kershaw T, Leffell DJ, Mayne ST.

J Am Acad Dermatol. 2017 Dec 29.

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The Tumor-like Phenotype of Rheumatoid Synovium: Molecular Profiling and Prospects for Precision Medicine.

You S, Koh JH, Leng L, Kim WU, Bucala R.

Arthritis Rheumatol. 2017 Dec 29.

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Smilow Cancer Genetics and Prevention Program Seminar

330 Orchard Street, Suites 107-109

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Director, Public Affairs and Marketing

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